

The Leys Primary and Nursery School



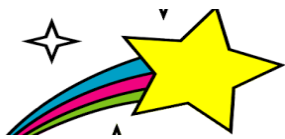
★ Accelerating progress ★ Enriching wellbeing ★ Promoting partnerships

Thought of the week next week

Success is not final.
Failure is not bad.
It's the courage to continue that counts .

Even on a cold Friday morning girls, boys and staff went to enormous lengths to celebrate World Book Day. It was a fantastic occasion and I know that families have gone to a great deal of trouble to support the event- I do want to thank all involved - parents, children and staff!

On Thursday, we started with a 'World Book Day' Assembly, then all children really enjoyed linking with other year groups, to listening to each their favourite books. On Friday the children dressed up as book characters and listened to their favourite stories, teachers and children alike impressed with a variety of amazing costumes. We hope that this event will inspire the children to read and enjoy a variety of books.



Star of the Week

Zephaniah	Daniel
Anderson	Gabriela
Sendak	Jamiama
Carle	Mia
Hargreaves	Lily-Rose
Donaldson	Jack
Ahlberg	Bobby
Wilson	Jensen
Dahl	Nikodem
Freedman	Ewan
Strong	Brooke
Pratchett	Karam
Morpurgo	Aiden
Lewis	Olivia and Rosie
Shakespeare	Alex W
Kipling	Travis
Dickens	Amrit

Stay & Share and Friday Family Reading

We will be running a number of 'Stay and Share' sessions for each year group, allowing the opportunity for parents/carers to view their child's work in their classrooms. We have also planned for each year group to have 'Friday Family Reading' sessions, for pupils to read their book to their family member. The sessions will take place from 8.50 to 9.10 am in your child's classroom.

Friday 15th March	Friday 22th- March	Friday 29th March	Friday 5th April
Stay & Share Y2	Friday Family Reading Yr 4	Stay & Share Y5	Friday Family Reading Yr 1

Class of the Week

Wilson

The friendship cup is presented to:

Ella M—Year 5

The best attendance award is presented to

Donaldson and Tolkien

The best punctuality award is presented to:

Ahlberg

Headteachers awards

Harvey C - Year 6

Ollie M—Reception

Attendance and Punctuality

- School opens at 8.45am.
- Your child should be in class by 8.50am and doors close promptly at 8.55am.
- After 8.55am your child must be signed in at the office.



IMPORTANT DATES

Social Moral Spiritual Cultural (SMSC) and British Values

Year 2 have had some very special visitors recently! The fire brigade came in to visit them and spoke to them all about being a firefighter, what it involves and how to keep ourselves safe. They showed the children their uniform and Mrs House even got the chance to try it on! The children asked some really interesting questions such as "Can you use sand to put out a fire?" They were amazed when they found out that you can, as well as using foam sometimes too!

At the end of the session, the firefighters allowed the children to climb on the board the fire engine and then have a go at using the hose.

Year 2 had lots of fun and learned a lot of important safety information. Thank you to the fire brigade for visiting us



29th March	Easter disco
8—22 April	Easter Holidays 
23rd April	Inset Day
24th April	Children return to school
27th May to 31st May	Half term holidays
3rd June	Inset Day
21st June	Summer Fair 
23rd July	Last day of term children finish at 2.30pm

Writer of the Week

The 8th Voyage of Sinbad - Evelyn C

The waves smashed against the sides of the ship, making it rock like a ball in a trampoline park. The mini-boat, which was as small as a bear cub, docked onto an island, which was full of vegetation and juicy fruit, and Sinbad wandered a but too far. He did decide he would sit down in a small opening. He found himself collecting a few ingredients to make some sort of cake. After he had done this, he made a fire with two sticks. He managed to bake a meagre pie. Eating some, he put the rest in his bag and walked off.

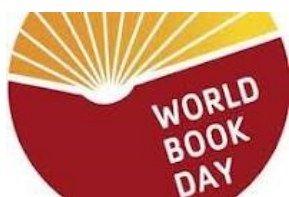
School Uniform

No JoJo bows and Inappropriate hair accessories.

Please see the school website for further information in regards to correct school wear.

CLASS: Pratchett

Today for World Book Day, year 4 Pratchett class had a fun day sharing their favourite books and writing book reviews to promote their book to their peers. They also read with their year 2 buddy class Donaldson and the children loved sharing and listening to each other's books.



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